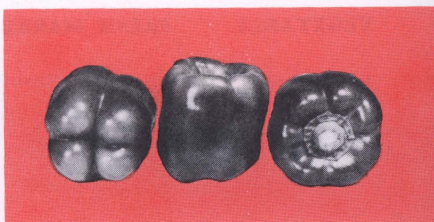
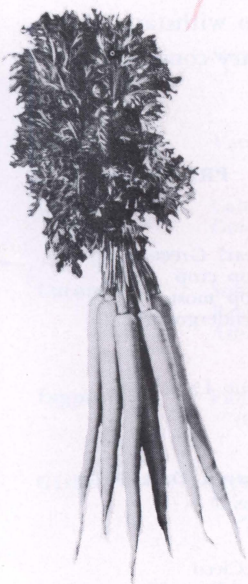
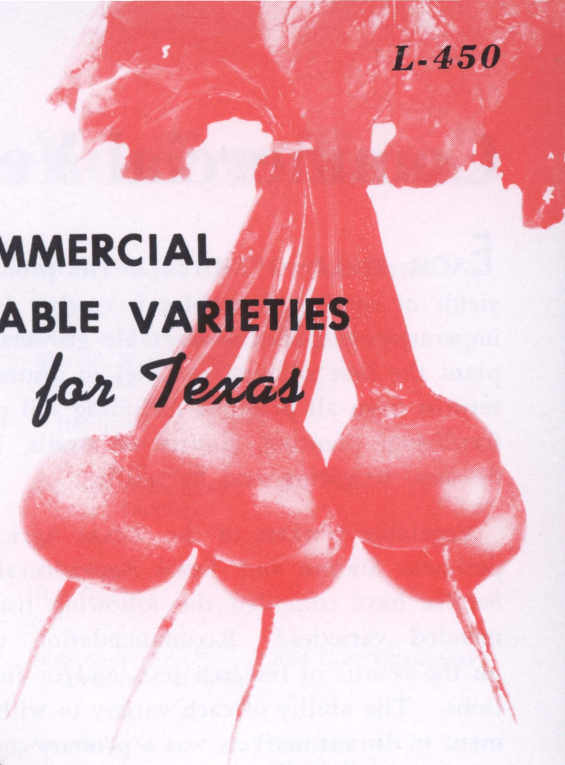


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COMMERCIAL VEGETABLE VARIETIES *for Texas*



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EACH FIELD OPERATION in producing high yields of quality vegetables is costly. Hence, it is imperative that Texas vegetable growers select and plant the best adapted varieties to assure maximum returns from all practices including soil preparation, fertilizing, planting, control of weeds, insects and diseases, irrigating and harvesting.

Vegetable workers of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and Texas Agricultural Extension Service have compiled the following list of recommended varieties.¹ Recommendation were based on the results of research tests and/or field observations. The ability of each variety to withstand shipment to distant markets was a primary consideration.

VEGETABLE	FRESH MARKET	PROCESSING
Bean, Bush	Contender Resistant Black Valentine	Pearl Green Top crop Top most Tendergreen**
Bean, Pole	Ky 191 Kentucky Wonder	Blue Lake
Beet	Detroit Dark Red Asgrow Wonder	Detroit Dark Red
Broccoli	DeCicco (Early Green Sprouting) Waltham 29	DeCicco Waltham 29
Brussels Sprouts	Long Island Improved	Long Island Improved

VEGETABLE	FRESH MARKET	PROCESSING
Cabbage	Globe yr Glory of Enkhuizen* Marion Market yr Greenback yr Wisconsin Ballhead Improved yr (Red) Red Rock Red Acre (Savoy) Drumhead Chieftain	Globe yr Early Glory
Cantaloupe	PMR 45 Rio Gold 65	
Carrot	Imperator (Improved Strains)	Red Core Chantenay
Cauliflower	Snowball X	Snowball X Snowball E
Collard	Vates	
Corn, Sweet	Calumet Golden Security	
Cucumber	Stono Palomar Ashley*	Ohio MR 17
Eggplant	Florida Market (Cook's Strain)	
Garlic	Mexican* Creole (Texas White) ***	
Lettuce	Great Lakes (Improved Strains) Valverde*	
Mustard	Florida Broadleaf Southern Giant Curled	

¹Research and Extension personnel are grateful to representatives of the Texas Seedsmen's Association for their assistance in compiling this list of recommended varieties.

*Adapted to South Texas — Lower Rio Grande Valley and Winter Garden

**Adapted to East Texas

***Adapted to South and High Plains

VEGETABLE	FRESH MARKET	PROCESSING
Okra	Clemson Spineless Louisiana Green Velvet	Clemson Spineless Louisiana Green Velvet
Peas, Southern	Extra Early Blackeye Blackeye No. 5 Purple Hull No. 49 Cream No. 8 Cream No. 12** Cream No. 40**	Extra Early Blackeye Blackeye No. 5 Purple Hull No. 49 Cream No. 8 Cream No. 12** Cream No. 40**
Pepper, sweet	Yolo Wonder Calwonder* Rio Wonder*	
Pepper, hot	Jalapeno Serrano*	Jalapeno Serrano*
Potato, Irish	Sebago* Kennebec Red Pontiac Red Lasoda*	Sebago* Kennebec
Turnip	Purple Top White Globe	Shogoin
Watermelon	Charleston Gray Florida Giant (Black Diamond) Blackstone*	

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